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<i>Application Number</i>	09/762,074
<i>Filing Date</i>	January 29, 2001
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Jewell et al.
<i>Art Unit</i>	2643
<i>Examiner Name</i>	G. Eng
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	2862-3750.1US

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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a. Previously submitted

- i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 previously filed on February 27, 2004.
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
- iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

- i. Amendment/Reply
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